

NH CHARTER SCHOOL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

October 29, 2013

MEETING MINUTES

Attendees: Jack Blodgett, Christina D'Allesandro, Thomas Frischknecht, Thomas Julius, Lisa Lavoie, Meryl Levin, Heather MacDonald, Lauren Morando-Rhim, Ellen Ohlenbusch, Matt Southerton. NHDOE Staff: Michelle Gauthier and Gail Taylor

Absent: Pamela Burke, Judith Fillion, Roberta Tenney and Marc Wood

Michelle Gauthier welcomed members to the Charter School Advisory Committee meeting. Committee members introduced themselves and provided their background.

Elect Chair of Charter School Advisory Committee

Michelle Gauthier asked if anyone would like to accept the position of Committee Chair. Ellen Ohlenbusch expressed interest.

A motion was made by Meryl Levin, seconded by Jack Blodgett to elect Ellen Ohlenbusch Chair of the Charter School Advisory Committee.

Schedule Future Meeting Dates

Discussion took place. In the past, committee meetings were held four times a year. The next meeting date will be forthcoming. Michelle Gauthier will assist Ellen Ohlenbusch with meeting logistics.

Charge of the Advisory Committee

Discussion took place. What is the role of the committee? What specific issues should the committee focus on? Committee members asked for direction from the Department, before the next meeting if possible.

Adjournment

A motion was made by Meryl Levin, seconded by Lisa Lavoie to adjourn the meeting. Meeting ended at 11:20 AM.

Minutes taken by:

Michelle Gauthier

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